



2024 International Victorian Hearing Implant Surgical Course

The Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Education Precinct, Melbourne, Australia

9 participants with dissection (surgeons or trainees) – 2,420AUD/participant

15 observers without dissection (surgeons, trainees, audiologists, ...) – 935AUD/participant

Registration: <https://events.humanitix.com/victorian-hearing-implant-surgical-course>

Thursday, October 24 2024		
8:30	Welcome and acknowledgement of Country	<i>Robert Briggs – Jean-Marc Gerard</i>
8:45	Company workshop: OTICON	<i>Facilitating surgeons: Fiona Hill – company's facilitator</i>
10:15	Morning Tea	
10:45	Company workshop: MED EL	<i>Facilitating surgeons: Markus Dahm – company's facilitator</i>
12:15	Lunch	
13:15	Company workshop: COCHLEAR	<i>Facilitating surgeons: Tim McLean – company's facilitator</i>
14:45	Afternoon Tea	
15:15	Hands on with companies: 2 working stations/company	
16:45	Welcome Cocktail with presentation of the VCIP program and patient's journey	<i>Jaime Leigh</i>
18:00	Course Dinner	
Friday, October 25 2024		
8:15	The right electrode for the right patient	<i>Claire Iseli</i>
8:45	Live surgery with in depth surgical technique discussion	<i>Robert Briggs (surgeon) – Claire Iseli</i>
11:30	Difficult approaches and electrode insertions (imagery, difficult approaches, difficult insertions)	<i>Robert Briggs</i>
12:15	Lunch	
13:00	Dissection 1 – cadaveric specimen – cochlear implantation including extended approaches	<i>Instructors</i>
16:00	Live surgery: Bone conduction implant with in depth surgical technique discussion	<i>Surgeon</i>
17:00	Acoustic implants: Refine your indications	<i>Jean-Marc Gerard</i>
Saturday, October 26, 2024		
8:15	Research and clinical implications (segmentation, planification, Ecochg)	<i>Aaron Collins – Jean-Marc Gerard</i>
9:00	Dissection 2: Acoustic implants – cadaveric specimen	<i>Instructors</i>
10:30	Morning tea	
10:45	Difficult surgical cases: Active discussion	<i>Young VCIP surgeons: Moderator: Janitha Jayawardana</i>
12:15	Lunch	
13:00	Dissection 3: artificial temporal bone of a 12-month child – cochlear implantation	
15:30	Ask the experts (Bring your case / surgical videos)	<i>Senior VCIP Surgeons: Rob Briggs</i>
17:00	Closing and prize ceremony for best dissection	

Course Directors: Jean-Marc Gerard, Claire Iseli and Robert Briggs

